The Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Dear The Federal Communications Commission,

I oppose the "flat-fee" tax increase.

I urge you to support the "Fair Share Plan" as a solution to current concerns with the Universal Service Fund (USF). The Fair Share Plan will keep the USF fair, ensuring that consumers like me do not pay the same rate into the USF as big businesses, regardless of how little I may use long distance.

The Keep USF Fair Coalition submitted the Fair Share Plan to the FCC on January 31, 2005. It expands who pays into the USF so that other technologies - not just phones - pay into the system. The Fair Share Plan collects the USF using a combination numbers-and revenue-based plan. This keeps the system fair, equitable and non-discriminatory.

I believe it would be unfair to charge low-volume and residential customers the same fees as high-volume residential or business customers.

I urge you to adopt the Fair Share Plan.

Thank you, Stephanie Sims

Sincerely,

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